

1 The following is a transcript of a
2 telephone conversation between D'ANGELO LEE and BRIAN
3 POTASHNIK on May 9, 2005.
4 UNIDENTIFIABLE (UJ)
5 (Phone ringing)
6 BRIAN POTASHNIK (POTASHNIK): Hello.
7 D'ANGELO LEE (LEE): Hey BRIAN?
8 POTASHNIK: Yeah.
9 LEE: They need, ahh, COSBY needs fifty-seven hundred
10 bucks. Can you do it?
11 POTASHNIK: Who?
12 LEE: Ahh, COSBY, bringing some other team in that he
13 wants to do the video. He's not gonna let, ahh, Dallas
14 Public Schools do the video and he says we have to pay
15 for it.
16 POTASHNIK: I, I'm sorry, I didn't understand what you
17 said.
18 LEE: BILL COSBY is not allowing Dallas Public
19 Schools to record his deal tonight. He wants to bring
20 his own team in because of all the, the publicity. He
21 wants to edit the tape and give it back to Dallas
22 Public Schools. It's an additional fifty-seven
23 hundred bucks that he says that we have to pay.
24 Meaning, meaning Dallas has to pay for it.
25 POTASHNIK: Oh, that's, nice guy. He's worth what,

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1 like a hundred million dollars or something?

2 LEE: Yeah, probably more than that, you know, but he

3 just sent the e-mail saying that he's not allowing 'em

4 to do it. We're trying to get a sponsor for it, so I

5 thought about you, if it's something you wanta do.

6 Potashnik: Man, I'm so under water. That's about

7 the last thing I'd write a check for. First of all,

8 why do I get a call, I mean, I wasn't even told to

9 sponsor or be involved in this thing.

10 LEE: Well, because what it is the ahh, the, the

11 school board said they wanted to be, they wanted

12 complete control over it. And then...

13 POTASHNIK: Well, they can have it.

14 LEE: And then, they said they happened to realize,

15 they happened to realize (UI) support it and edit it

16 the way they wanted to, you know, they said, you know,

17 they cut the budget on it. And now, they wanted it all

18 back now. And, and BILL has said no, we've already, my

19 attorney's have already signed, said that you all cannot

20 record it, my people can record it. But your people

21 can't record it. Now they want to record it now, so.

22 POTASHNIK: Why is the guy being such an ass? What's

23 the big deal?

24 LEE: Because you know people are taking his, you

25 know, when he goes out to speak, people are taking his

1 tape and editing it for their own benefit. And you
2 know taking out what they want and put in what they
3 wanta put in. So he's saying that he didn't mind
4 that, but he just wants his camp to edit it, and then
5 he'll give you the copies and you all can, you know.
6 Dallas folks can do what they wanta do with it. And
7 you know he said that's the only way he's been able to
8 make sure that his message is what he's saying. That's
9 what his ahh, his publisher is saying, so. Now, but
10 they've already, Dallas Public Schools already signed an
11 agreement that they were gonna allow his people to do
12 it, you know, so...

13 POTASHNIK: Well, who's sponsoring this, CHANEY?

14 LEE: Well, the Dallas Public Schools is doing it.

15 Ahh, CHANEY is doing it ahh, ahh 104.5, you know, just
16 different sponsors have got together to make it
17 happen.

18 POTASHNIK: What time is it?

19 LEE: It's at 7:00.

20 POTASHNIK: Where at Lincoln?

21 LEE: At Lincoln High School.

22 POTASHNIK: (UI)

23 LEE: They're having a, having a reception at six.

24 It would be great if, I mean, if you would do it. If
25 you can come over and...

1 POTASHNIK: It's just too late I gotta go to my kids'
2 school and...
3 LEE: Bring your kids over. That'd be great for them
4 to get a picture with BILL.
5 POTASHNIK: I can't, I, I can't because they've got
6 something going on at their school today.
7 LEE: Oh, okay.
8 POTASHNIK: But, well, let me talk to CHERYL. If we
9 can do it, I'll call you back.
10 LEE: Okay. Alright and (UI) he's gonna speak at
11 seven so if you, you know, at the reception. They'll
12 probably....
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